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In the title:

Please delete the original title and insert the following title in place thereof:

5 --METHOD FOR WASHING PULP IN A BLEACHING LINE WITH A  
PRESSURIZED MAIN CONDUIT FOR WASH LIQUOR AND FILTRATE--

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In the specification:

Please amend the paragraph on page 6, lines 34-36, as shown below:

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Due to addition of chemicals in the prior bleaching step D2 and also some fiber losses fiberlosses, the flow that is taken from the wash apparatus Ws in return through line L<sub>2</sub> back to the main conduit 1 is somewhat larger than the amount 10 that is supplied through L<sub>1</sub>.

Please amend the paragraph on page 12, lines 13-22, as shown below:

15 It is also evident that auxiliary equipment, e.g. filtrate tank/s, valves, may be used together with the invention, in certain applications, despite the fact that such equipment mostly in considered as superfluous superfluers if the invention is used in an optimized manner.

20 Moreover, it is evident that despite the fact that an optimised optimized embodiment of the invention implies open communication within the whole main conduit, there may be situations/applications where a part or parts of the main conduit (intermittently or temporarily) may be cut off from 25 that communication, e.g. by means of a valve/s.